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In re Application of: **GEORGE FRY**
For : **APPARATUS, AND ASSOCIATED METHOD, FOR EFFECTUATING A DATA
SERVICE DESIGNATED BY A SERVICE DELIVERY MODE**

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